CITY OF LONG BEACH PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA

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September 1, 2005
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER

STUDY SESSION 12:00 – Sports Park

ADJOURN

PUBLIC HEARING (reconvene) 1:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL Gentile, Greenberg, Jenkins, Rouse, Sramek, Stuhlbarg,

Winn

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MINUTES July 7 and 21 and August 4, 2005

SWEARING OF WITNESSES Do you solemnly swear or affirm that the evidence you shall

give in this Planning Commission Meeting shall be the truth,

the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

GUIDE FOR PERSONS INTENDING TO SPEAK

This guide has been prepared as an aid so that you will be able to express your opinions briefly and clearly before the Commission and thus increase the effectiveness of your presentation. **Remarks are generally limited to 3 minutes**.

- 1. State your Name and Address.
- **2. Organization** you represent if any.
- **3.** State whether **For or Against** the proposal.
- 4. Your **Statement** should include all pertinent facts within your knowledge; avoid gossip, emotion and repetition. It is important to discuss only those matters relating to the hearing and to tie your discussion of the facts directly to the decision you wish the Commission to reach. A clear, concise and non-repetitive argument is impressive.

Written Testimony

In order to have written material included in the Planning Commissioner's mailed Agenda Packet, twelve (12) copies of the material must be delivered to the Department of Planning and Building, Planning Bureau, no later than ten (10) calendar days before the date of the Planning Commission Hearing. Written material that is presented to the Planning Commission after this date and up to 1:00 p.m. the day of the Planning Commission Hearing, will be included in the Commissioners Agenda folder, but may not be reviewed by individual Commissioners due to the amount of material that the Commissioners have to review for the Agenda. Material presented to the Commission at the Hearing will be part of the record but also may not be reviewed by individual Commissioners.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1A. Case No. 0506-10 David Hayden

Certificate of Appropriateness 349 Carroll Park East (Council District 2)

(Larry Rich, Hearing to consider an appeal of the Cultural Heritage

Project Planner) Commission's decision to Conditionally Approve a Certificate of Appropriateness for exterior alterations to 349 Carroll Park

East, a home within the Carroll Park Historic District.

RECOMMENDATION: Planning Commission continue the item until September 15,

2005.

1B. Case No. 0506-27 Michael Pauls Associates for Mohsen Ghafoorzadeh

Conditional Use Permit 2630 E. Spring Street (Council District 5)

CE 05-119

(Jayme Mekis, Conditional Use Permit request to allow the sales and leasing

Project Planner) of previously owned automobiles in the General Industrial

Zone District.

RECOMMENDATION: Planning Commission approve Conditional Use Permit,

subject to conditions.

1C. Case No. 0505-04 Kadee Della Donna

CE 05-75 1775 Freeman Avenue (Council District 4)

(Lemuel Hawkins, Request for approval of Tentative Tract Map No. 063028 to

Project Planner) allow the conversion of an eight unit apartment building into

condominiums.

RECOMMENDATION: Planning Commission continue item to September 15, 2005.

1D. Case No. 0507-02

Conditional Use Permit

CE 05-126

Joel Hyman

2626 & 2628 South Street (Council District 8)

(Steven Valdez, Project Planner)

Request to expand a neighborhood market with existing sales

of beer and wine.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission approve the Conditional Use Permit,

subject to conditions.

1E. Case No. 0505-25

Conditional Use Permit

CE 05-91

BM Lindsey, Inc.

5936 Orange Avenue (Council District 9)

(Lemuel Hawkins, Project Planner)

Request for a Conditional Use Permit to re-establish a non-

conforming coin-operated laundry.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission approve Conditional Use Permit,

subject to conditions of approval.

REGULAR AGENDA

2. Case No. 0505-39

Administrative Use Permit

CE 05-140

Applicant: Goodwill Industries

c/o Michael Pauls

Appellants: Marcia Gordon

Karla Ives

8155 E. Wardlow Road (Council District 5)

(Lynette Ferenczy, Project Planner)

Hearing to consider an appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision to approve an Administrative Use Permit to establish

a thrift store in the El Dorado Shopping Center.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission deny the appeal and uphold the decision of the Zoning Administrator to approve an

Administrative Use Permit to establish a thrift store.

3. Case No. 0504-09

Standards Variance

CE 05-66

Applicant: Donald R. Evens Appellant: Thanh Quan

1191 E. Arcadia Court (Council District 6)

(Monica Mendoza, Project Planner)

Appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision to approve a Standards Variance for a new two story dwelling with a front yard setback of 10'6" (instead of not less than 20 feet), and a rear yard setback of 5' (instead of not less than 15' for the second floor).

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission deny the appeal and uphold the Zoning Administrator's decision to grant the Standards Variance, subject to revised plans and conditions of approval.

4. Case No. CIP-06

City of Long Beach Citywide

(Ira Brown, Project Planner)

Finding of Conformity with the General Plan for the proposed fiscal year 2006 Capital Improvement Program.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission find the proposed projects listed in the Proposed Fiscal Year 2006 Capital Improvement Program in conformity with the General Plan, report that any project for which a final site has not yet been selected or project specifics have not been developed should be returned to the Planning Commission for review and report these findings to the City Council.

5. Case No. 0505-13

Standards Variance, Local Coastal

Development Permit

CE 05-85

Applicant: Steven and Patricia Zieg

c/o Ed Gulian

Appellant: Alamitos Bay Beach Preservation Group

c/o Kelly Asper

16 55th Place (Council District 3)

(Derek Burnham, Project Planner)

Appeal of the Zoning Administrator's decision to approve a Local Coastal Development Permit and Standards Variance requests to enclose a second story balcony, with a front yard

setback of 0 feet (instead of not less than 3 feet).

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission deny the appeal and uphold the Zoning

Administrator's decision to approve the Local Coastal

Development Permit and variance requests.

6. Case No. 0508-12

Certificate of Appropriateness

Ruben Valdez

1183 N. Loma Vista Drive

(Monica Mendoza, Project Planner)

Appeal of the Cultural Heritage Commission's decision to deny the Certificate of Appropriateness for exterior alterations to a 4-unit apartment, within the Drake Park Willmore Historic

District.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission deny the appeal and uphold the Cultural Heritage Commission's decision to deny the Certificate of Appropriateness for exterior alterations to a 4-unit apartment.

Case No. 0505-34

7.

Reasonable Accommodation

Richard and Marilyn Peter 4126 Linden Avenue

(Jayme Mekis, Project Planner)

Appeal of the Zoning Administrators decision to deny a Reasonable Accommodation request to maintain a driveway from Linden Avenue leading to the front yard.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission deny the appeal and uphold the decision of the Zoning Administrator.

8. Case No. 0409-20

Lot Merger, Site Plan Review

ND 06-05

Sarbpaul Bhala

c/o Tom Baty of Gensler

3140 Long Beach Boulevard (Council District 7)

(Lynette Ferenczy, Project Planner)

Request for approval of a Site Plan Review and Lot Merger to construct a four-story medical office building with 12,078 square feet of medical offices above two levels of parking.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission review and certify Mitigated Negative Declaration No. 06-05 and approve the Site Plan Review and Lot Merger, subject to conditions.

9. Case No. 0411-20

Zoning Ordinance Amendment CE 04-245

City of Long Beach

c/o Suzanne Frick, Director of Planning and Building
Area D of the Coastal Zone (Belmont Shore) and Parking

Impacted Areas (Council District 3)

(Derek Burnham, Project Planner)

Proposed Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance regarding maintenance of nonconforming parking rights for commercial

uses in Area D of the Coastal Zone, and regulations

governing nonconforming driveways.

RECOMMENDATION:

Planning Commission recommend that the City Council adopt

the amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

MATTERS FROM THE AUDIENCE

MATTERS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND BUILDING

- a. Updates:
 - 1) City Council Actions
 - 2) General Plan Update
- b. Preview of September 15, 2005 agenda

2380-2382 Santa Fe Tentative Parcel Map for 4-lot subdivision

1709 E. 68th Street 4 Single Family Residences

1000 E. Artesia Conditional Use Permit for church

2355 Long Beach Boulevard Administrative Use Permit for car dealer

525 Ximeno Condominium conversion

c. Other

MATTERS FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION

ADJOURN

The City of Long Beach intends to provide reasonable accommodations in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If a special accommodation is desired, please call 48 hours prior to the event/program/service at 570-6351.

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